

25. The fluid dispenser of claim 2 wherein said driver circuit comprises:
a peak current duration control connected to said power supply and
providing a signal varying as a function of said output voltage of said power
supply;
a pulse width modulator ("PWM") control connected to said peak
current duration control;
a PWM connected to said PWM control and providing a PWM
signal having said initial peak current; and
a power switch connected to said power supply and responsive to
the PWM signal for providing said output signal to said coil of said solenoid.

Remarks

Applicant has added new claims 24 and 25, and claims 1-25 remain in the application.

Applicant hereby elects the invention of Group II, Species IIA for prosecution, and Applicant submits that claims 1-4, 16 and 19-23 read on the elected species.

Applicant further submits that claim 1 is generic to Species IIA-IIC. The subject matter of Species IIA is recited in claim 3, and new claims 24 and 25 recite the subject matter of Species IIB and IIC, respectively. Further, Applicant submits that claims 19-23 are not limited by any of the Species IIA-IIC but are generic to all of the Species IIA-IIC. Thus, Applicant submits that the Species IIA-IIC are supported by specific claims as follows:

Group II, Species IIA, Figs. 1-6: Claims 1-4, 16 and 19-23.

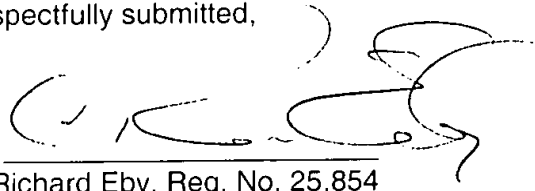
Group II, Species IIB, Figs. 1-6: Claims 1-2, 13, 14 and 16-24.

Group II, Species IIC, Figs. 1-6: Claims 1-2, 15, 16, 19-23 and 25.

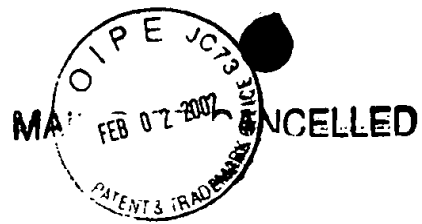
Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "Version with markings to Show Changes Made."

Applicant submits that the claims remaining in the application are allowable, and the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney should any questions arise.

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VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

New Claims 24, 25 have been added.